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Your online guide to the sensational world of Sega and Sonic The Comic. Hosted by Megadroid.

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Hey, Boomers!

The humes-who-think-they're-incharge keep telling me that all work and no play makes me a dull droid (that must make them very interesting!). For once, I've taken their advice and have decided to sample the delights of another planet for a wee change. Before I depart let me tell you what's in store this issue ...

There's hot action with Sonic and the gang in the first part of a great new story, The Great Escape! The Kid's still proving to be a real twofaced Chameleon in Back to Reality! Knuckles has his work cut out with those menacing Metallixes in Total Chaotix, meanwhile the Possum Power continues in Sparskster, Last of the Rocket Knights! Also, check out the Summery Graphic Zone and you'll find out I'm not the only one around here who's getting in the holiday spirit!

Now for some good news, and some not-so-good news! Unfortunately, from issue 58, STC will cost an extra 5p (boo-hiss!). it's not even due to an oil down to dull hume-type things like rising paper costs, but the good news is that STC 58 will be the start of a Official Sega Comic will be given a face lift, proving that even the best can be improved! More will be revealed but, meanwhile, I'm off to the local garage to have my rust spots buffed (I told you that even the best can be improved!).

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GET BUS-Y!



Time to hit the road again as the Sega 'In 2 Action Tour' gathers momentum with the steaming hot 1995 Summer Roadshow!

The fun-packed Sega Buses will be visiting holiday centres, theme parks, plus oodles of other venues around the country and the good news is ... it's FREE!

So brush up on your gameplay now and

prepare to compete in

the 'Sega Challenge', play the 32X games and try out all the latest Sega consoles. Just a taste of things on board! Don't forget to tell them STC sent you!



For Boomers wishing to find out if the Sega Bus is visiting your area, contact the number below:-

Sega Bus Hotline: 0891 555575

Make sure you have the permission of the person who pays the bill before you call. Calls are charged at 36p per minute Sega cannot be held responsible for last-minute changes to the schedule.

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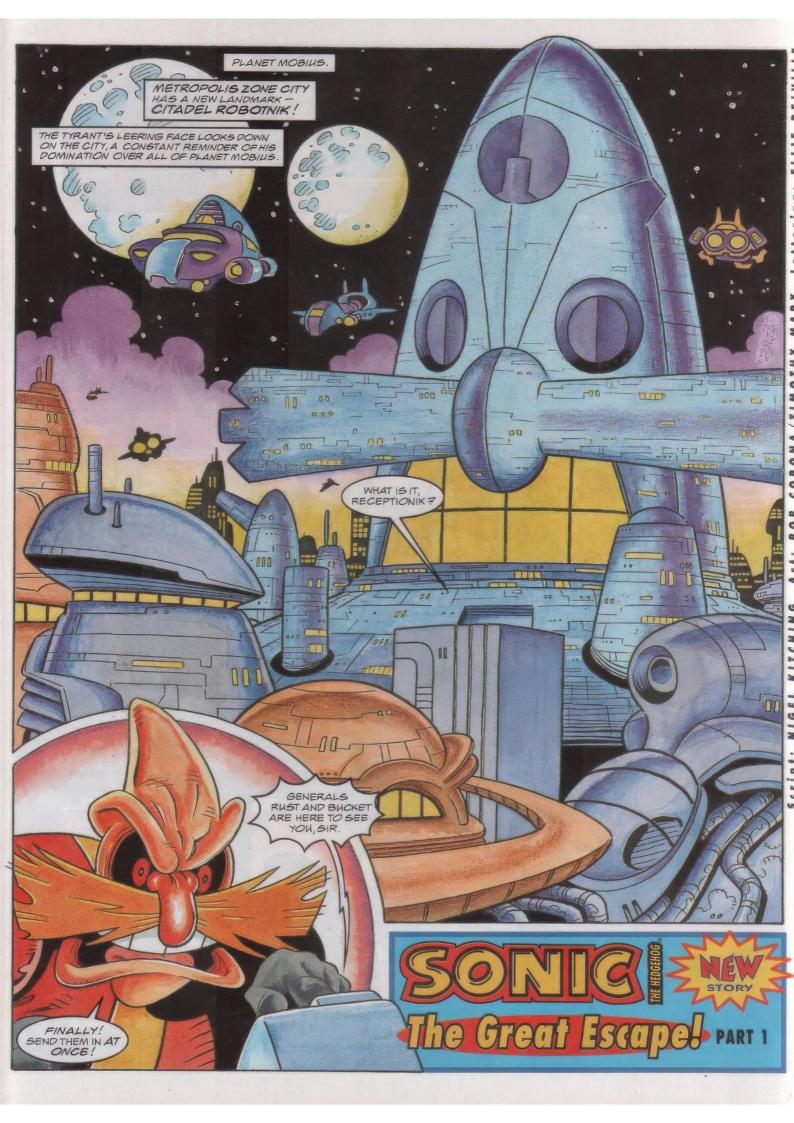
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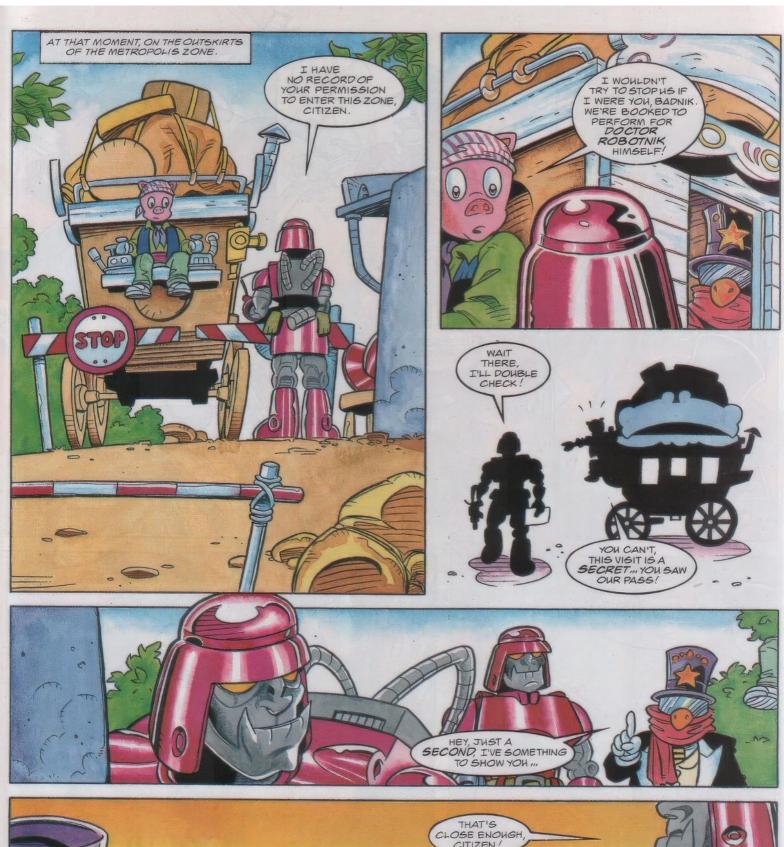


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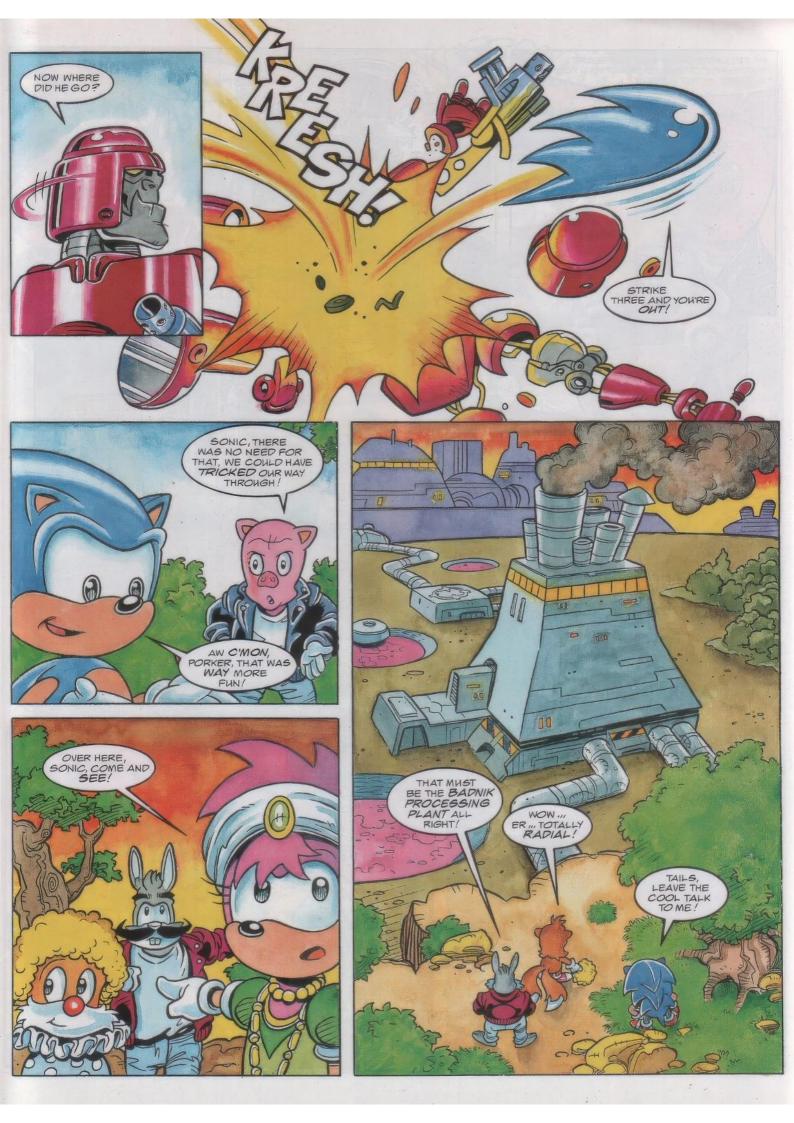


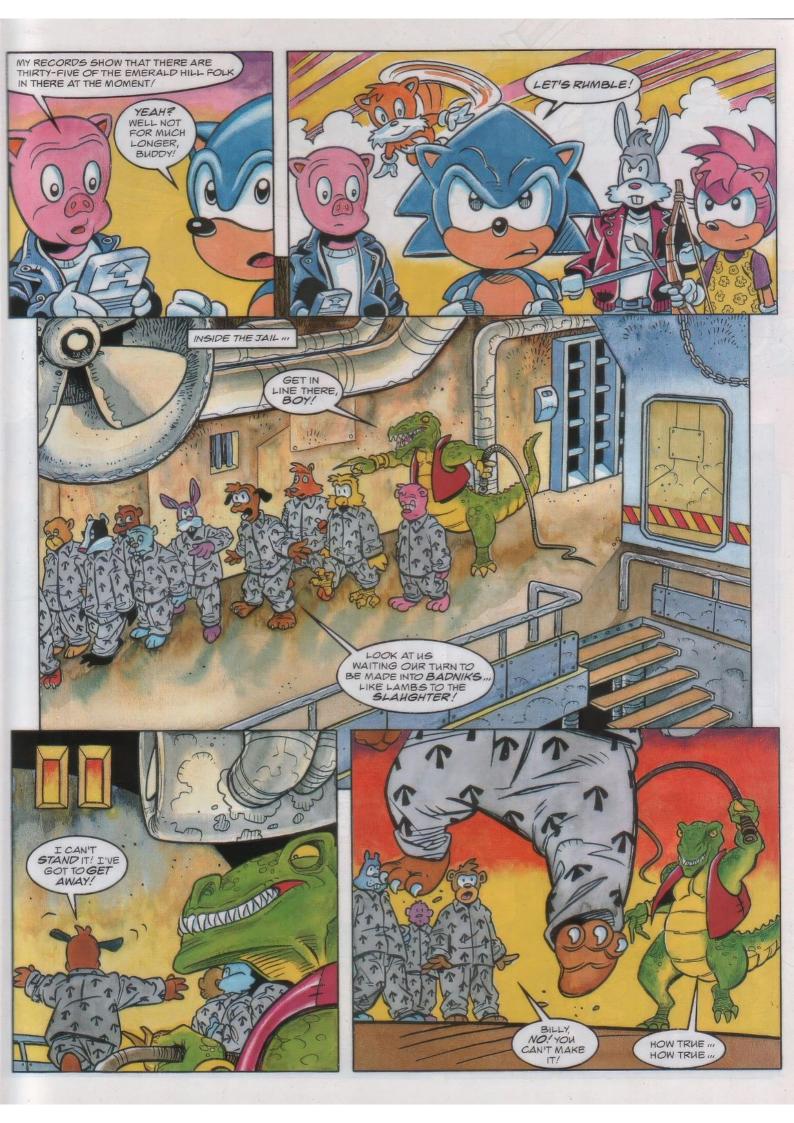
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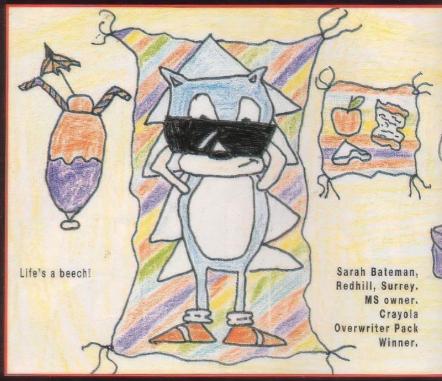


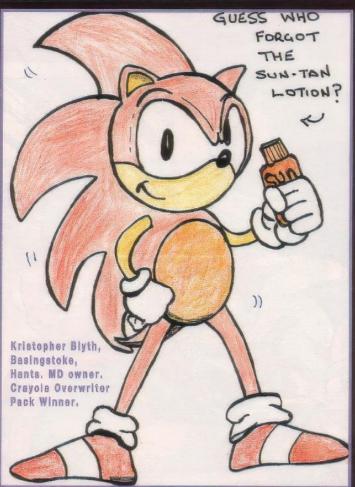
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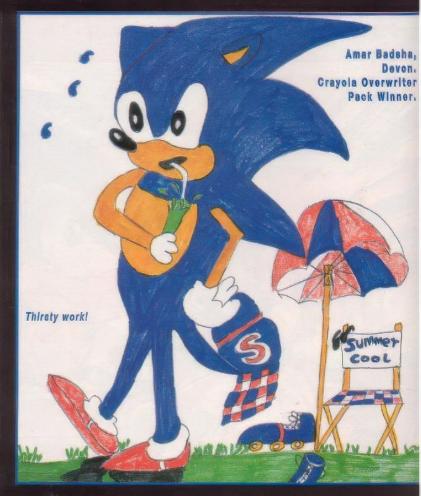
Boomers seem to have sun, see, sand and, of course, Sonic on their minds!
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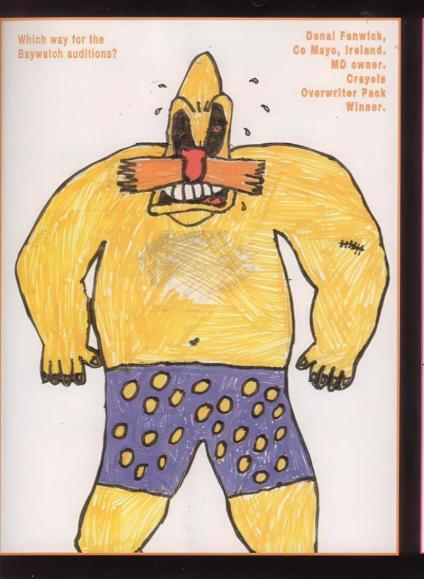




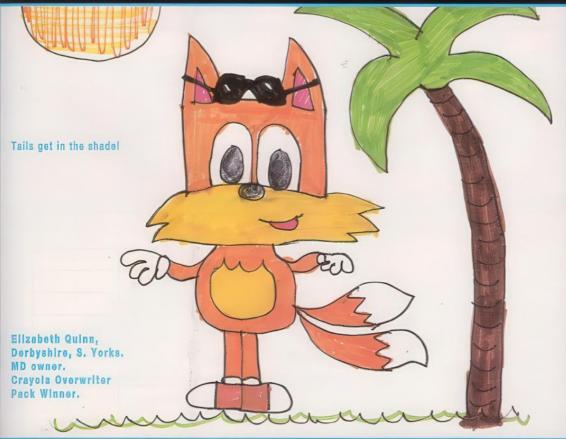












Here's a few tips to help you get your handy-work selected in *Graphic Zone*:

- " Use paint or felt tip pens on plain white paper if possible (try to avoid lined paper and pencils, as they don't show up as well when printed).
- Be original come up with your own ideas.
- Put your name and address, preferably written in capital letters, on the back of the page.



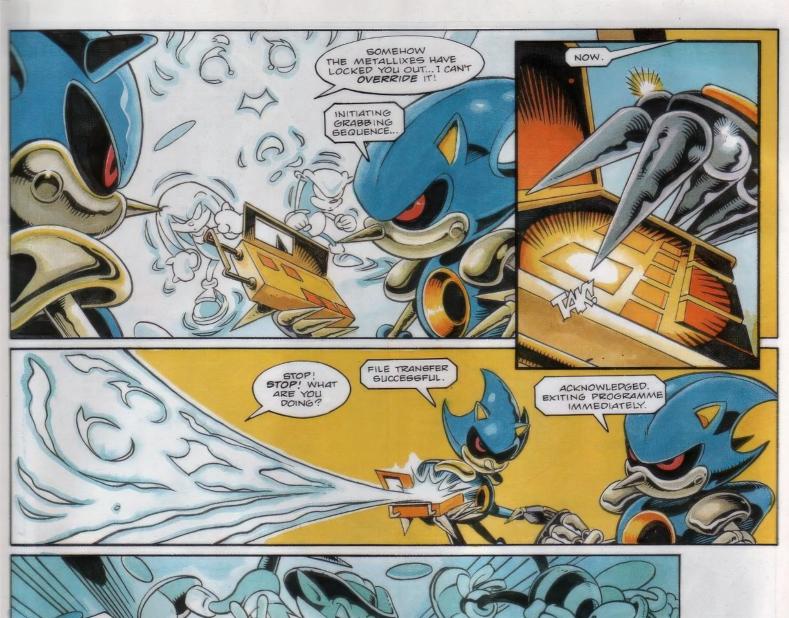


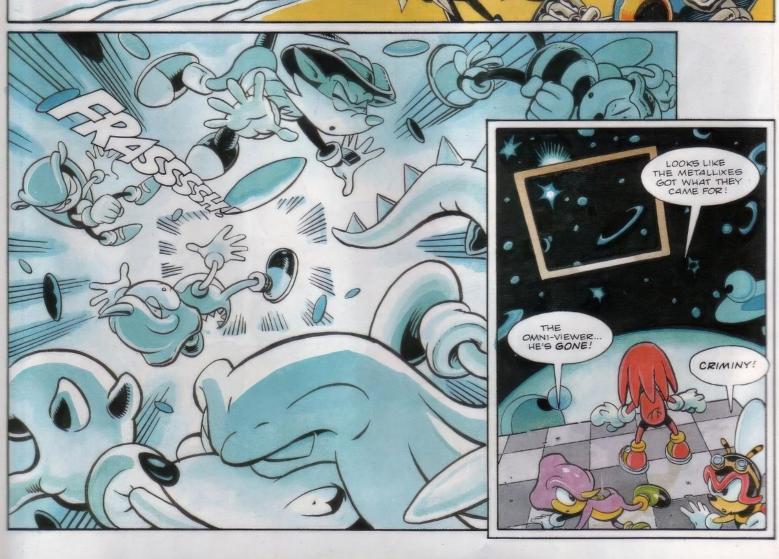




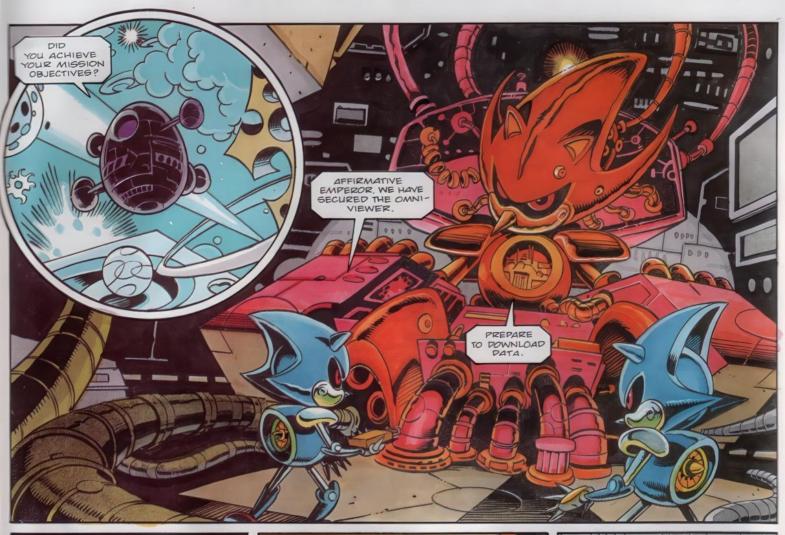






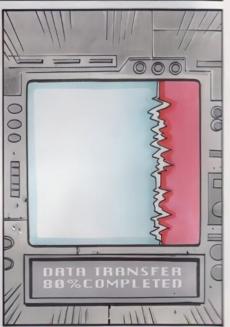






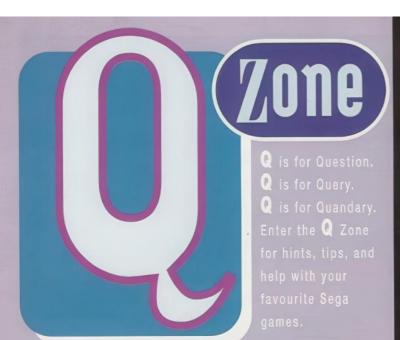










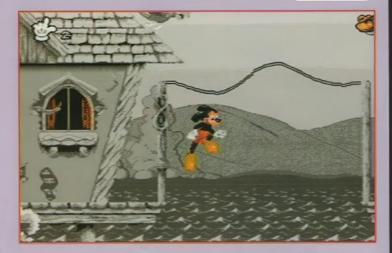


STC brings you part two, the conclusion, to the terrific platform game, Mickey Mania, courtesy of regular game guru David Gibbon.









LEVEL FOUR - THE LONESOME GHOSTS

This level takes place in an old house and consists of three rounds. Watch out for the frequent appearance of spine-chillingly spooky ghosts - brrrr!

MOUND ONE Head right, and jump the first gap. Fall down, catch the marbles and stars, and you'll land on a raft with Pluto. This will take you to the exit. HOUND TWO Head right using the stairs and see-saws



until you reach the top. Once there, head right, jump up onto the moving lids and head left to end.

ROUND THREE: As the room fills up with water, jump onto the first barrel. Go left, up the stairs, right, and continue up to the end.

HAZARDS

GHOSTS (Round Two): You can't kill the ghosts, so always wait until they disappear before trying to get past.

STAIRS (Round Two): As soon as a ghost disappears, go up the stairs whereupon it turns into a slide and you'll fall to the ground. Now, jump

up the slide and you'll finally reach the top.

GHOSTS (Round Three): This time the ghosts creep up on you and fire at you with a weapon! As soon as you see one fire, jump in the air to avoid it. If two ghosts approach, run and jump over one.

BARRELS (Round Three): While on the first barrel, head left. When you come to a ghost in a boat, stay still. As he jets off, either continue left or jump onto another barrel if there is one. On reaching the end, stay on the barrel until the water is completely gone.

TABLE (Round Three): As you're heading right, you'll see a table. Push this to the next staircase to enable you to climb up.

LEVEL FIVE - MICKEY AND THE BEANSTALK

As you might have guessed, this level is based on the famous fairy tale, Jack & The Beanstalk. With four rounds to conquer, you're going to need more than magic beans to get through this!

ROUND ONE: Quite tricky, this one. Just head right, but follow the Hazards and Hints.

ROUND TWO: Head down, and right to the end. Touch a

button on the floor then head left and fall down a hole to meet the Giant Spider!

ROUND THREE: Head right, and stand on each brown patch to raise a small Beanstalk. Use this to climb higher then head right to reach the giant Beanstalk.

ROUND FOUR: Just head right but at one point you'll need to push some Jelly to the right in order to reach a higher platform.



HAZARDS

BEETLES: Get past these critters by bouncing off their backs. If they start to fly throw a marble straight at them! GIANT SPIDER (Round Two): Go left and touch a button, then quickly run to the right - the Spider will begin to chase after you! As you approach a Ladybird jump on its back and it'll take you to the end.

GIANT BEANSTALK (Round Three): Jump on the middle, then move towards the left edge. Repeat to reach the top. Kill the insects by jumping on their back's. Sounds easy, but it ain't!

HINTS

APPLE AND FLOWERPOT (Round One): Push the Apple right to allow you to reach a higher platform. Now push the Flowerpot right so that it sits under the water. After the flower has grown, push it left and use it to climb higher.

LEAF BOATS (Round One): As you sail across the water on the leaf, always stand on the left edge. This allows you to run and leap to the next one. The Dragonflies will constantly attack but the marbles will only stun, so duck to avoid them.

LEVEL SIX . THE PRINCE AND THE PAUPER

If you've got this far you must be one tip-top gamer. This is one of the best and hardest level's in the game. There are six rounds in all, so get ready to do battle!

ROUND OME: Go right, and push the wooden chest back to the start. Climb onto the ledge, hop onto the swinging lights and continue the obvious route.

and move a large switch. Jump down and head right to end.

ROUND THREE: Head right, then take the obvious route to end.

ROUND FOUR: Another 3D tower! This time you're going up.

Shoot any baddies before you jump to the next platform.

Once at the top, head right.

ROUND SIX: The Final Boss! Move the cart filled with spikes so that he lands on it each time he jumps. Next, while dodging the falling spikes, wait until he throws a dagger into the wall. Jump onto this, and jump up to hit the switch so the large ball moves and hits him. Repeat to win.

HAZARDS

MESH FRAMES (Bound Three): Stand on the white platform but jump as you come to any small rotating spikes. Jump right onto the next approaching platform.

CLOSING WALL (Round Three): Don't hang around, head down as fast as possible!

HINTS

then right to swing the Lights. When you've built up momentum, jump from one to another and onto the stairs. HOCK (Round Three): Push the Rock onto a switch to create a temporary platform. Get on the moving platform but jump right onto another platform before you hit the spikes. Get back on the moving platform and go right. HUBBER DUCK (Round Three): At the start of the level, jump up and down on the air pump. Now jump onto the Rubber Duck and head right.









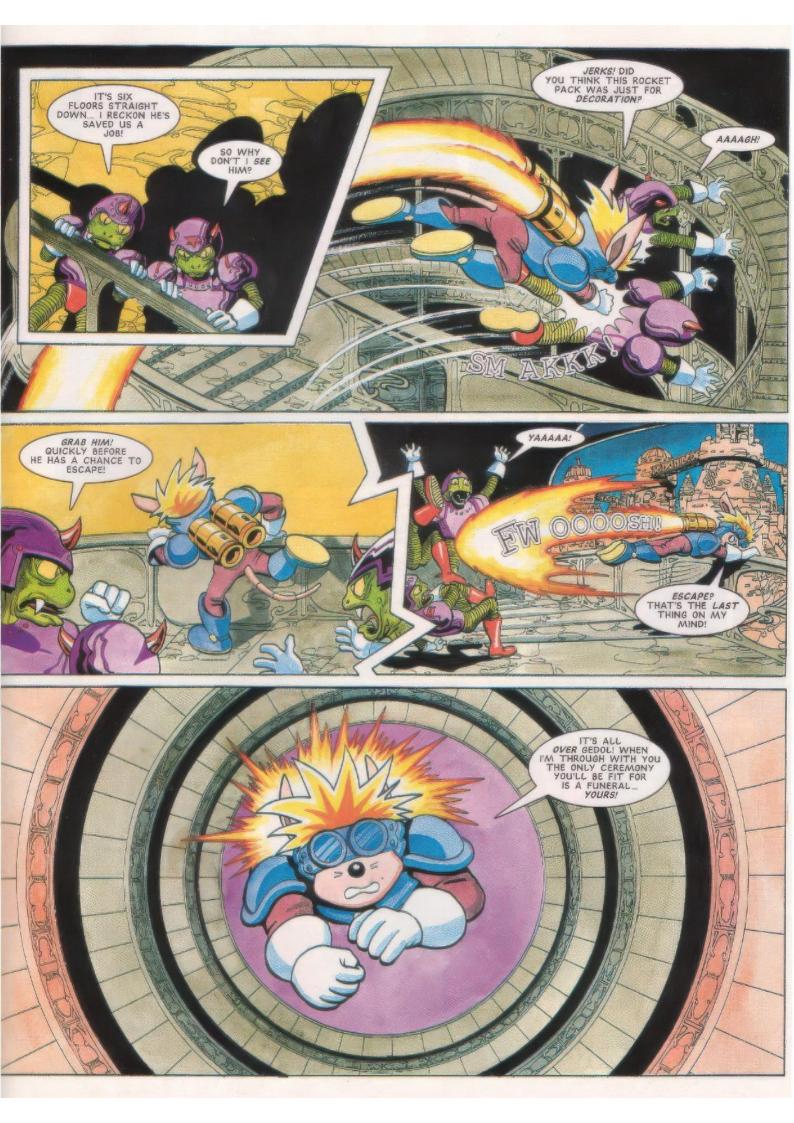


































SPEEDLINES



Sound off to Megadroid about anything you want to do with STC, Sega or the meaning of life as we know it!

Send your letters (or drawings) to: Speedlines, Sonic The Comic, 25/31 Tavistock Place, London WC1H 9SU.

Include your name, address and Sega system you use (MD, MCD, MS or GG) clearly on the back of your work. Megadroid regrets that drawings cannot be returned or correspondence entered into.



Adopt an Attitude!

Dear STC,

My parents would like to know if Sonic has a mum and dad because they'd like to adopt him.

Aaron Downing, Barrow-in-Furness, Cumbria. MD owner. Sonic Stationery Winner.

And how would you all feel about eating chilli dogs and pizza every day, Aaron?
Look out for Sonic's 'family tree' in a future Graphic Zone.

A fox in the hand!

↑ Gary Bailey, Stockport, Cheshire. MD owner. Sonic Stationery Winner.

Megadroid paints the town red (also, his nails, his lips ...).

Kelly Mullins, Reading, Berks. MD owner.
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ne of the Boys!

Dear Megadroid,

My son Paul really admires
Richard Elson's artwork and wrote to
him asking for advice on drawing. Paul
was delighted to receive a detailed
letter and I'd just like to say how
grateful we are for Mr Elson's
kindness.

Mrs & Mr Hunter, Whinmoor, Leeds. Sonic Stationery Winner.

You mean Richard took time
out in between his busy
STC schedule? The
humes-who-think-they'rein-charge should have
something to say about that!

Wanted!

Dear STC.

Tell Amy Rose not to worry if Sonic isn't interested in her because I'll gladly have her as my girlfriend. Also, please give her my love! Peter Bottomley, Newton Abbot, Devon. MD owner.

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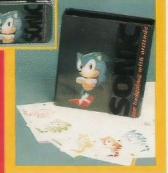


What do you take this for, Peter? Blind Date!

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